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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
CLEAR SPRINGS UTILITY COMPANY, INC.  
FOR AUTHORITY TO INCUR LONG-TERM  
DEBT.

DOCKET NO. W-01689A-11-0401

**STAFF'S MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE**

On November 3, 2011, Clear Springs Utility Company ("Company") filed an application for an order authorizing the issuance of a loan for the purpose of making system improvements (Docket No. W-01689A-11-0401). Concurrent with that filing, the Company also filed an application for a permanent rate increase (Docket No. WS-01689A-11-0402).

Pursuant to R14-3-109(H), Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") Utilities Division Staff ("Staff") requests that Docket Nos. W-01689A-11-0401 and WS-01689A-11-0402 be consolidated. Staff concludes that consolidation is appropriate, since these two matters are substantially related and consolidation will not prejudice the rights of any party. Staff further concludes that consolidation will aid the Commission in the evaluation of both matters. Staff has talked to the Company about consolidation of the two dockets and the Company has no objection.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 1<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2012.

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